

January 19, 2011

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RE: MUR 6431
Friends of Kelly Ayotte
H. Scott Flegal, Treasurer

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

This is in response to your letter dated January 14, 2011, requesting an extension to respond to the complaint filed in the above-noted matter. Considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response in due by the close of business on or before February 11, 2011.

If you have any questions, please contact me on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Kim Collias, Paralegal Complaints Examination and

Legal Administration